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U.S. Air Force, jet pilot, 1941-63; retiring as colonel; General Aircraft Corp., Washington, DC, vice-president, 1963-64; First National Bank of Arlington, Arlington, VA, vice-president, 1964-67; Madison National Bank, Washington, DC, vice-president, 1967-71; Amtrak Corp., Washington, DC, manager of government marketing, 1972--. Lecturer at American University; president of Financial Marketing Council of Washington, DC; consultant to ARINC Research Corp.

AWARDS:

Military: Legion of Merit, Joint Chiefs of Staff Commendation Ribbon.

WORKS:

WRITINGS BY THE AUTHOR:

- *The Secret Team*, Prentice-Hall, 1973.
- *JFK: The CIA, Vietnam, and the Plot to Assassinate John F. Kennedy*, Carol Pub. Group, (New York, NY), 1992, updated, 1996.

Contributor to *New Republic*, *Air Force*, *Empire Gazette*, *Air University Quarterly*, *Pegasus*, *Armed Forces Journal*, and *Washington Monthly*

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